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Real Estate.

Will Close

During the session of Rock River Assembly, July 24 to Aug. 8th, we will close our store every evening except TUESDAY and SATURDAY

At 6 O'Clock

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is not always satisfactory, and thoughts, taste and feelings often rebel at the mention of pills, castor oil and salts.

Laxo Mint

is our choice of a laxative and it will certainly please you. It is a confection of Senna, Cascara and Aromatic Fruit Pastes; 10cts per package.

A. H. Tillson Drug Co.,

Both Phones 87.

90 Galena Ave.

Prescription Druggists.

A Little Money...

would perhaps make your old watch as good as new. It is wonderful what our repair man can do to make old watches new; he is an expert. Call in and have a chat on watch and jewelry repairs.

G. O. Wendel,
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Special Prices

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Ladies' Shirt Waists, Ladies' Muslin Underwear, Hosiery, Umbrellas, Gloves.

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VERY LATEST.

PHIL YOST JR., INJURED.

Ladder Upon Which He Was Standing Gave Way—Fell 20 Feet.

Phillip Yost, Jr., while at work at the Anglo-Swiss Condensed Milk Factory this morning fell twenty feet and sustained a fracture and dislocation of the right arm at the elbow. He was working on a pulley this morning about twenty feet from the floor. He was standing upon a ladder which rested against the shafting, a fellow workman holding the ladder from slipping on the floor. Seeing that the ladder was apparently perfectly firm, the man holding the ladder stepped aside for a minute, and at that instant the ladder slipped and fell, breaking Mr. Yost's right arm and dislocating it at the elbow. He also suffered severe bruises. He was at once taken to Dr. Miller's office where the injury was attended to and was then removed to his home, near Eighth street in Hine's Addition.

A FORGERY AT LEE.

Pension Check of Louis Boyd for \$30 Stolen and Cashied.

Last Tuesday a man claiming to be a pension examiner, called at the home of Louis Boyd, a farmer living four miles west of Lee, and examined his papers. While talking to the man Mr. Boyd was called from the house, leaving the stranger alone in the room and while alone he stole a pension check for \$30, forging Louis Boyd's name. He then came to Lee with Mr. Boyd and had the check cashed by T. T. Elde.

Mr. Boyd did not miss the check until Mr. Elde mentioned the fact that he had cashed his pension check. Telephone messages were sent to different places but as yet they have not heard anything of the forger.

Buys Keystone Hotel.

A. M. Smith of Fellows and North Galena avenue has purchased the Keystone Hotel equipment from W. D. Whitford, and will take possession on Monday. Mr. Smith has resided in Dixon thirteen years and during that time has become well known as possessing business integrity of the highest order. He will thoroughly clean and renovate the premises, and paper and paint will complete the transformation. He will endeavor to run the hotel to the satisfaction of the traveling public and those who desire a good meal will find it at his hostelry. The new Keystone Hotel will open the latter part of next week.

Large Windows.

Contractor W. J. McAlpine received the plate glass today for the windows of Camp & Son's and E. N. Howell's stores.

Two lights of glass each 9 feet by 9 feet, 6 inches, making an 18-foot window, will be used in Camp & Son's store and the entrance will be at the south of the big window.

The glass of E. N. Howell's window is 8 feet, 6 inches, by 13 feet. The store entrance will be at the corner, with another window on the alley side of the building.

Entertained Friends.

Last evening at the home of Mrs. Amelia Heft on Crawford avenue, Miss Gertrude Heft, entertained a few friends in honor of Miss Caroline Heft of Chicago and Miss Gracia Pierce, who will leave for Chicago in the near future. The evening was pleasantly spent with music and games and at a suitable hour refreshments were served. The guests departed at a late hour much pleased with the evening's entertainment.

F. A. Watson Remembered.

As an evidence of the kindly feeling existing between former Manager F. A. Watson of the Henderson shoe factories and his co laborers, the foremen and office employees of the factory today presented him with a fine office desk, table and chair which he will use in the new Watson-Plummer factory.

Low Water Mark.

According to A. J. McDougal's mark at the Power and Lighting station Rock River is below any mark heretofore registered. The company is using steam power all the while now, as the water power is not available.

Killed by Threshing Machine.

W. S. Johnson and Frank Schwartz of Kanveill were injured in a threshing machine near Elgin. They were crushed and mangled. Schwartz will die. He came from Eau Claire, Wisconsin.

WILL BE A GREAT EVENT.

Firemen from All Parts of the State Will Be Here Aug. 13-15.

At its last meeting the Mt. Carroll fire department decided to attend the States Firemen's tournament at Dixon, August 13 to 15, and will send a running team to compete in the races.

It is four years since the Mt. Carroll hose company competed in a state tournament, the last time being at Monmouth where they won the Illinois championship for the third consecutive time, breaking the world's record for the distance, which has never been beaten. Eighteen men will be trained and active work will begin Monday with Bert Clark as trainer.

Other cities which have given assurance that they will send teams are Polo, Edwardsville, Gibson City, Fulton and LaSalle, while Naperville, Plano, Clinton and Lincoln will undoubtedly send teams.

Among the features of the meeting will be the attendance of the famous Lyons Drill Corps, which years ago took so many prizes at the Iowa tournaments. Drills will be given under the command of T. T. Ashton during the parade and especially on the grounds between races. The veteran firemen's association of Lyons, Iowa, will also attend.

Ex-Chief A. J. Graff was in Chicago last week and called on Editor Smith of the Western Fireman to report the progress of preparations in Dixon. Things are in such shape that he was able to give a glowing account and he was also pleased to hear reports from all over the State that firemen are preparing to attend. There will be an immense crowd in Dixon August 13, 14 and 15.

Hot After Tramps.

Palmyra farmers in the vicinity of Gap Grove are incensed at the depredations of a hobo who has been roosting in the woods and supplying his larder from the chicken houses of the thrifty housewives; and who has not yet been remarkably civil in his manner of address. A week ago Earl Hutton missed a new suit of clothes and a silver watch, and when the aforesaid tramp was discovered in the distance, better dressed than usual suspicion, was aroused that he was drawing on the community not only for board, but also clothing, etc., and it was about time to give him his walking permit, especially as silver table-ware had begun to be missed from various households, similar to that offered for sale by a suspicious-looking character in Prairieville. A scouting party was organized armed with a liberal supply of tar and feathers. The tramp has not yet been found, but the materials for a good warm coat are ready at hand, and Gap Grove would be a good place for "gentlemen of the road" to avoid in future.

The Old Swimmin' Hole.

The warm weather has driven the small boy to the water and any time during the afternoon a dozen of him can be seen on the apron of the dam diving off a springboard into the pool below. The water is about ten feet deep all along below the apron of the dam. The bed of the river back of the dam is dry for some fifteen or twenty-five feet.

New Cashier.

Miss Elizabeth Schober yesterday closed her work as cashier for C. M. Henderson & Co., which position she has efficiently filled for the past few years. She is succeeded by Miss Emma Beckmire, who has been with the company as bookkeeper since 1896.

To Lay Corner Stone.

The corner stone of St. John's Protestant Episcopal church, Reese St., Chicago, will be laid tomorrow at 7 p. m. Assisted by Rev. Henry C. Granger, formerly of Dixon, the services will be conducted by Bishop Anderson.

Funeral of Mrs. Edson.

The funeral of Mrs. M. H. Edson will be held Sunday morning at 9 o'clock at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Irvin Lewis, in Palmyra. The interment will be at the Lee Center cemetery.

Goes to Chicago.

Fred H. Partridge will on Monday take a position as clerk in Chicago in the law office of Atty. C. W. Miller. Mr. Partridge graduated with the law class of 1901 from the University of Illinois.

Maccabees Social.

The Ladies of the Maccabees will hold a sociable Tuesday evening, July 23rd, at the Mrs. Charles McBride home on Dixon avenue. Ice cream and cake will be served.

Georgia Water Melons

A Fresh Lot Just Received
35 cents each.

Rocky Ford Musk Melons, Bahama Pine Apples, Valencia Oranges, Elberta Peaches and Every Fruit and Vegetable the Market affords received daily.

Save Money and Get the Best

By Buying Of

J. H. Morris & Son,

Both 'Phones 21. 91 Galena Ave.



'TIS HOT TO-DAY.

—but next winter you'll forget all about today's heat in winter's frigidities.

And if you'll act on this hint on heating—you'll thank us when our old friend zero is again agitating the public mind, and feeling.

All hot-air furnaces heat to some extent. What you need is a furnace that creates the most heat from the least coal.

The Round Oak is that furnace. The reason it creates the most heat is because it sends the most ashes, smoke and dust up the chimney and the heat into the room.

That's why we've selected the Round Oak as our leading furnace for next year. We want to please YOU. That's why we've hired a furnace expert to install all the furnaces we sell. A man who does scientific furnace installation, something that Dixon has needed (and never got) for years past.

E. N. Howell Hardware Co.

Dixon, Illinois

Damage Sale!

The water faucet was left open in room over our store and we have a lot of damaged goods for sale at a bargain. \$200 worth of Muslin Underwear, consisting of Night Gowns, Skirts and Corset Covers; \$100 worth of Shirt Waists; \$50 worth of Veiling; \$100 worth of Ladies' Ties, Collars and Chimesetts; \$25 worth of Ribbon. Some of these goods are only slightly damaged, but you get them at greatly reduced prices.

Come and Get First Choice.

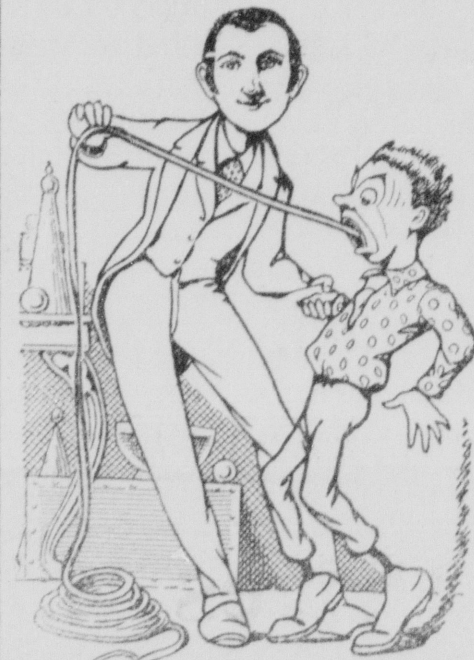
J. R. Carpenter,

104 Galena Avenue.

A REMINDER That We Are Here.

Its a Pleasure to come before you with such Prices as these:

Our Summer Stuff Must Go!



Summer Lawns only... **2 I=2C**

New DIMITIES to close out..... **4 I=2C**

All our Batiste and Dimities that were 12 1/2c yd. only.. **10C**

Beautiful Egyptian Tissues were 25c only..... **19C**

Children's Sleeveless Vests.... **5C**

Ladies' Sleeveless Vests..... **3C**

Ladies' \$3.50 Melba Last Hand Turned Shoes to Close Out Only..... **\$1.98**

Misses \$1.50 Melba Last Shoes, sizes 12 1/2 to 2 Only..... **\$1.15**

75 cent Shirt Waists, Only..... **39C**

I. B. Countryman Co.

WANTED.
WORK—If you have work for a young man of good character and clerical ability leave word or address "P" this office. 20916.
An elderly lady to make her home with me Enquire of Mrs. Catherine Malloy, 411 Peoria avenue. 19617.
LAUNDRESS at the Hospital. Apply to Miss Sherwood. 20814.
GOOGL girl for general housework. Apply at once to Mrs. C. B. Morrison, Huff Park. 20917.
GIRLS—Laundry girl, dining room girl and chamber maid at NACHUSA HOUSE. 21017.
A GIRL for general housework at once. Apply to Mrs. G. O. Wendel, Corner North Galena avenue and Chamberlain Street. 21018.
FOR RENT.
TWO large well furnished, well ventilated rooms one block from Court House. 402 Galena avenue, corner of Fourth Street. Mrs. M. Cole. 21013.
HOUSE for rent, 522 Peoria avenue Inquire at 522 Peoria avenue. 20919.
ROOMS—In all—in second story at No. 8 East River street. Apply to E. E. Shaw this office. 16117.
FRONT Basement under Cortright & Hirtz grocery. Enquire of WM. BEIER. 20917.
A FIVE room house corner Madison avenue and Third street. Enquire of S. S. Hills Next door north. 20916.
EIGHT room house, best location in North U Dixon, on E. Boyd St. and N. Crawford Ave. Only water, bath, room etc. Inquire Geo. E. Smith, 502 N. Galena avenue. 21213.
FOR SALE
\$130 BUYS 1200 bison and kind survey horse good harness and good survey STROUP'S LIVELY BARN. 21213.
GOOD paying business in Dixon for sale if taken within ten days. Apply to JOHNSON & AVERY. 21216.
FARM belonging to the estate Jacob Wertman 7 miles east of Dixon and 2 1/2 miles west of Franklin Grove on Franklin road 236 acres of choice farm land and 12 acres of timber, to be sold at auction on premises Saturday, July 20 at 1 p. m. 6217.
LOTS—I have a number of lots on the North and West Side for sale. Prices ranging from \$175 to \$500 each. Enquire of THOMAS YOUNG, Nachusa House. 6217.
LOST.
MUSIC ROLL containing several pieces of music lost in south part of the city. Finder kindly return to Mrs. T. L. BRUNN. 21213.
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SAMUEL C. EELLS, President.
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ATTORNEY at Law, Solicitor in Chancery and Notary Public. Abstracts of Title Real Estate in Lee County prepared and Rained. Lee County Phone 186. 21017.
H. L. COFFEY.
ATTORNEY at Law, and Solicitor of Pen-sions. Office 101 Hennepin avenue, formerly occupied by John Kleinsmith. 6017.

DEFENDS OKLAHOMA.
Letter from D. W. Missman formerly of Dixon.
Several weeks ago we published an extract from a letter written by John P. Anderson, who moved to Oklahoma and was dissatisfied. D. W. Missman of Stroud, Oklahoma, formerly of Dixon, writes to correct to some extent the impression which Mr. Anderson conveyed. The letter is dated July 15, and is as follows:
EDITOR TELEGRAPH:
I noticed an item in your paper of July 9th that is very misleading. It is entitled "Was Deceived in Country." When Mr. Anderson arrived at Stroud he got down on the country. It is true that we have had ten days of very hot weather, but there are other States complaining the same way. We deny that the crops are all burned up. Oklahoma has just harvested a big crop of oats and wheat of good quality. We have gathered one crop of potatoes and are planting the same ground for a second crop. It is true that the corn crop is badly damaged and some will be cut out for feed and the ground replanted to Kaffir corn. We have just had a good shower of rain and the indications are for more. The farm that Mr. Anderson could not pay for was sold the next week at the same price that he was to pay.
I was born and raised in Lee county and have nothing to say against the State of Illinois. I hope to come back to Dixon to live, but not until I secure a half section of Omaha soil. I know a man can come here with a thousand or two dollars can come here and secure a good home sooner than in Illinois. Land is cheap here and equally as good as any to be found in any State.
Truly yours,
D. W. MISSMAN.

Oregon Water Power Suffers.
Oregon Reporter: The volume of water in Rock River has decreased wonderfully within the past week. It is only a few days since the water still ran over the dam and Tuesday morning it was several feet from the top of the structure. The water fell seven inches from 9 a. m. to three o'clock in the afternoon Monday and the power is being severely affected. There was hardly sufficient power to operate the waterworks pump Monday afternoon and it was said yesterday if there was no rain this week and the water wheels would not be running by the end of that time. Old residents who have been around the river every day say this is the lowest they have ever seen the river. There is a passageway fully six feet wide across the top of the dam which is perfectly dry.
The water from Rockford which usually reaches Oregon about noon when the wheels are turned on there, in the morning, does not reach here until evening during the low water.
Small Fires.
Franklin Reporter: John Myers came near having an expensive fire in his hay field a few days since through the carelessness of someone smoking a cigar or cigar. It took some lively hustling to save his wagon and hay loader and he was fortunate to escape with the loss of about a load of hay. On the S. Sunday farm, north of town, someone's carelessness started a fire in a meadow from which the hay had just been hauled, and although no great damage resulted, yet, but for the prompt work of neighbors who discovered the blaze the consequences might have been serious. Fires along the railway lines are quite frequent and require constant watchfulness on the part of farmers along the lines, as well as of railway employees, to prevent destruction of grain and grass.
Chickens and Quail.
Oregon Republican: The absence of heavy rains during the hatching season has been most favorable to prairie chickens and quail. Many farmers covet being reported by farmers in this vicinity, and this holds good all over northern Illinois. While the legislature made an error in the new game law passed last winter and failed to protect quail, many farmers are signifying their intention to prohibit shooting upon their premises, which will prove more effective in the protection of quail than though covered by the recent enactment.

The Workman's Friend Store.
SPECIAL SALE on Suits, etc.
Just Received a new lot of Suits at 50 cents on the Dollar.
Hart, Schaffner & Marx make \$15 Varsity Suits for.....\$7.50
Men's \$12 suits for.....\$5.75 a suit
Men's \$7.50 suits for.....\$3.00 a suit
305 wash suits for boys, 3 to 8 years blouse style only.....39c a suit
Men's Alpaca Coats.....\$1.19
Men's Linen Coats and Vests only 75c, just the thing for hot weather.
Boys' striped wash pants 4 to 15 yrs. old only.....20c a pair
Men's Linen Caps only.....10c
Men's Rockford Socks.....3c a pair
Nothing like competition. Come and see me you can get more goods for the same money and pay less money for the same goods than elsewhere.
Phil N. Marks,
85 Galena Avenue.

LOOK
That house of yours over. Don't it need painting.
If So
Call up C. U. 'phone 247 and let me figure with you.
Fred H. Waterman.
Painting, Wall Tinting, Papering.
New Produce Market:
Located in Baker building, 82 Galena Avenue, near bridge.
WHOLESALE and RETAIL
Flour, Feed, Provisions and Produce.
Come and give us a trial.
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KIDNEY DISEASES
are the most fatal of all diseases.
FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE is a Guaranteed Remedy
or money refunded. Contains remedies recognized by eminent physicians as the best for Kidney and Bladder troubles.
PRICE 50c and \$1.00
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RAILROAD TIME TABLE.			
O & N. W. RAILROAD		WEST BOUND	
No. 1	3:25 a.m.	No. 12	10:11 a.m.
No. 2	4:50 a.m.	No. 3	12:22 p.m.
No. 3	6:58 a.m.	No. 7	3:45 p.m.
No. 4	7:08 a.m.	No. 11	7:02 p.m.
No. 5	7:22 a.m.	No. 10	7:50 p.m.
No. 6	10:14 a.m.	No. 1	8:53 p.m.
No. 14	3:50 p.m.	No. 35	9:57 p.m.
No. 1	8:52 p.m.	No. 2	2:37 a.m.
No. 13	Sunday only 5:15 p.m.		
Freight train No. 134 at 9:10 a.m. Carry passengers between Sterling and Rochelle.			
Freight train No. 116 at 8:20 p.m. Carry passengers between Clinton and DeKalb.			
Freight train No. 131 West Bound at 9:2 a.m. will carry passengers between Franklin Grove and Clinton on Sunday only.			
* Daily.			
* Daily except Sunday.			
F. L. MURRAY, Agent			

ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD			
SOUTH BOUND		NORTH BOUND	
Local Mail	3:35 a.m.	Through Ex.	10:18 a.m.
So. Express	10:32 a.m.	Local Mail	6:40 p.m.
Locust Pk.	4:52 p.m.	Local Pass.	9:46 p.m.
Am. Freight	10:15 a.m.	Lo. Freight	2:10 p.m.
L. BAOKUS, Agent			

WEATHER REPORT			
For the week commencing July 14, 1901			
	Max.	Min.	Prep.
Sunday	98	56	—
Monday	96	64	—
Tuesday	102	68	—
Wednesday	96	70	—
Thursday	95	66	—
Friday	68	62	—
Saturday	—	98	—

THE WEATHER.
The following is the weather forecast telegraphed us at 9:55 o'clock a.m. today from the government observatory at Chicago.
Generally fair tonight and Sunday. Continued warm.

YOUR MONEY BACK if Arthur Remedies fail
Campho-Quino
Infallible cure for Colds, LaGrippe Headache, Neuralgia, and Hay Fever.
Laxative Liver Tablets
Gentle, Efficient, Sufficient. For the cure of Constipation, Indigestion and Biliousness.
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A Specific for Nervous Disturbances and Heart Trouble. A general Tonic and Blood Builder.
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A Uterine Tonic of the highest order. A sure remedy for the Menstrual Disturbances and all the accompanying ills of Women.
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A RATIONAL TREATMENT AND CURE FOR PILES
We manufacture a different remedy for each of the different kinds of piles. Blind, Bleeding, Itching and we guarantee satisfactory results. Ask for our pamphlet on the subject of Piles
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Don't take any other.
You know this is pure.

ARTHUR LEHMANN & CO., Peoria, Ills.
Foley's Kidney Cure
makes kidneys and bladder right.
\$500 REWARD!
We will pay the above reward for any case of Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, Sick Headache, Indigestion, Constipation or Constiveness we cannot cure with Liveria, the Up-To-Date Little Liver Pill, when the directions are strictly complied with. They are purely Vegetable, and never fail to give satisfaction. 25c boxes contain 100 Pills, 50c boxes contain 40 Pills, 5c boxes contain 15 Pills. Beware of substitutions and imitations. Sent by mail. Stamps taken. NERVITA MEDICAL CO., Cor. Clinton and Jackson Sts., Chicago, Ill. Sold by
C. Kelly, Druggist, Dixon, Ill.

The Dixon Mercantile Co.,

ORIGINATORS OF REASONABLE PRICES.

New Big Store Cor. First St. and Peoria Ave.

THE JULY CLEARING SALE

Is keeping us very busy and on the jump. This is usually a dull month, but it is not so in our store; the people are taking advantage of this great sale and buying freely in every department; it is the confidence the people have in our store; when we tell you anything you can believe it; one thing we won't do, that is, we will try not to carry goods from one season to another. We will show a Clean, Fresh, Up-to-date Stock every season. It will pay you to attend this great sale, as everything of this season's goods will be sold and the prices on the goods are marked low enough to clean up every department. Our guarantee: If not satisfied with your purchase, your money back if you want it.

DRY GOODS DEPARTMENT.

We have place on sale 15 dozen Ladies Wrappers in light and medium colors latest styles regular \$1 and \$1.25 values July sale price each...89c
Just received another lot of Ladies' white Pique skirts the \$2 kind, we offer them at.....\$1.69
Infants' 35c white muslin caps, sale price.....19c
20 Per Cent Discount Off On All Muslin Underwear
Ladies' \$1.25 white and colored shirt waist, July sale price each.....89c
35c white Paris Mouline, 48 inch wide, July sale price per yard.....26c
40c silk duck and silk stripe ginghams, July sale price per yard.....25c
25c ladies' sun bonnets, July sale price.....15c

DRUG DEPARTMENT.

We are sole agents for the R. S. V. remedy, invaluable for sick horses, cattle, sheep, hogs and poultry, it has been proven to be the best cholera preventive of the age. Cure guaranteed or money back. On Friday we will serve Thompson's Celebrated Wild Cherry phosphate free to our customers at our Drug department.
July clearance sale of guaranteed rubber goods.
2 qt Hot Water Bottles our regular price 60c sale price.....39c
3 qt hot water bottles our regular price.....85c
English breast pump regular price 25c sale price.....19c
Ear syringe regular price 25c sale price.....17c
Besty Brown safety nursing bottle regular price 15c sale price.....10c
2 qt fountain syringe our regular price 65c sale price.....55c
Success Ladies' Syringe reg price \$1.25 our price 98c
Full qt double distilled witch hazel 50c sale price.....29c
Allocois, Belladonna, Strengthening, Electric and Capsicum plasters regular price 25c our price.....15c

CLOTHING DEPARTMENT.

July Special Sale—Gentlemen, we are selling some of the famous Hart, Schaffner & Marks make of clothes in our regular \$12 and \$15.00 grade, for \$10.00 a suit.
Men's imported flannels, in light summer suits, in the latest designs, Hart, Schaffner & Marks make. Our regular \$10 for.....\$8.50
We have several lots of fancy Worsted in summer weights and colors, regular \$15 and \$18 suits for.....\$12.50
You take no chance of getting anything in old style here as our stock is all new and a guarantee goes with every suit.
Negligee \$2 shirts and shirt waists for.....\$1.50
Negligee shirts, 75c and \$1 grade for.....50c
Boys' shirt waists, 25c kind for.....19c
Boys' shirt waists 50c kind for.....39c
Men's hats latest style \$3 grade for \$2.25, \$2.50 grade for \$1.95, \$2 grade for 1.50, \$1.25 and 1.50 grade for \$1.

SHOE DEPARTMENT.

JULY SPECIAL SALE—A line of Men's Vic Kid Button and Lace, black or colored \$3 and \$3.50 hand-sewed Goodyear Welt shoes for.....\$2.45
Ladies' and Gents' swell patent leather shoes in Queens' cloth or leather top \$3 grade for.....\$2.45
Ladies' fine dress low and high shoes \$2 and \$2.25 grade for.....\$1.47
Ladies' light Dongola low and high shoes with light or heavy extension soles the kind you have been paying \$1.50 to \$1.75 for here in all styles at.....\$1.09
Men's extra good shoes 4 styles all solid at.....\$1.50
Boys' shoes in Satin Calf sizes 2 1/2 to 5 1/2 sale price.....\$1.35
Youth's shoes in satin calf sizes 11 to 2, sale price.....\$1.15
Little gents' shoes in satin calf sizes 9 to 13 1/2, sale price.....\$1.00

CROCKERY DEPARTMENT.

Beautifully Decorated 100-piece Semi-porcelain Dinner Set for.....\$7.39
1c. FOR DRINKING CUPS, EGG WHIPS, TEA STRAINERS, KETTLE KNOBS.

HARDWARE DEPARTMENT.

Screen Wire Remnants at less than wholesale price.
\$9.50 Refrigerators for.....\$7.00
\$7.50 Refrigerators for.....5.25

CARPET DEPARTMENT.

Union Super Ingrain 40c Carpet, July sale price per yard.....25c
30c grade for.....19c

SEWING MACHINE DEP'T.

Any Sewing Machine we sell is made by the New Home Sewing machine Co. See our Special \$14.75 A Drop Head Machine for.....18.50
GUARANTEED FOR 10 YEARS.

PAINT DEPARTMENT.

Colt's Globe prepared \$1.50 mixed paints per gal. \$1.20
We guarantee our paints not to peel, blister or crack and give satisfaction. Get our prices on Linseed oil and Pure White Lead. We guarantee to save you money.

GROCERY DEPARTMENT.

SNAPS—Extra fancy 20c Bananas per doz. 13c
10c Corn for 6 1/2c. A good peeled yellow Peach, 3 lb. can 10c. 1 qt bottle Bluing for 6c. Fancy California pears, per lb. 8c. 15c Coffee 11c.
Highest market prices paid for produce.
Matchless Flour—The best; every sack guaranteed.
20 per cent discount on all our high-grade canned Oriole Goods. This line is the same good as the Monarch Brand, best quality, manufactured by Reid, Murdock & Co. of Chicago, only under a different brand. We guarantee these goods as represented, and if not your money back.

MEAT DEPARTMENT.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY. Porter House 14c, Sirloin Steak 14c, Pork Roast 10c, Boiling Meat 5 1/2c, Rib Roast 11c, Corn Beef 5 1/2c, Bologna 2 lbs. 15c, Beef Roast 8 1/2c, Mutton from 5c Up.

WATER MELONS ON ICE.
Will always find Goods as Advertised at our store. We are giving our own trading coupons with everything we sell. Better get a book and get some good premiums Free.

NOTHING DECISIVE YET

From the Storm Centers, Where the Great Labor Conflict Is Raging.

DISPUTED MILLS STILL RUNNING

Prospect for the Tin Plate Workers To Be Drawn into the Fight—Outlook for the Firemen.

Pittsburg, Pa., July 20.—The strike situation cannot be termed materially changed, although many rumors are in the air to the effect that a settlement of the troubles is imminent. Up to 10 p. m. yesterday none of these reports had been verified, and the conclusion reached is that no settlement is in sight. At the offices of the Carnegie company and at the headquarters of the manufacturers the usual silence was preserved concerning the condition of business or the status of the strike. President Shaffer, of the Amalgamated Association, however, expressed his entire satisfaction with the progress of the battle, and says the workers have gained steadily, while the manufacturers have lost continually since last Monday.

News from a Storm Center.

From the storm center at Wellsville, O., comes word that the striking mill men in that vicinity spent an uneasy, restless day. There is no longer any doubt that the owners of the Wellsville plant of the American Sheet Steel company have many of the town's largest merchants back of them in their fight against the workmen, and much bitterness has resulted. Confronted with what seems a certainty—that if the present trouble goes along much further the Wellsville plant will be lifted and brought across the line into Pennsylvania—grocers, clothing men and others who for years have received the wages of the mill workers in exchange for goods are now trying to show the strikers that they are wrong and foolish in keeping up the fight. The plant here was running yesterday about one-fourth full. Eighteen skilled workmen, together with many laborers and boys, are employed.

Tinplate Men To Be Drawn In.

The reports from Apollo and Vandergrift, where the Amalgamated Association is making strenuous efforts to gain recruits, are that the situation is practically unchanged, but much uneasiness is felt. No official report has reached here concerning the situation at Duncansville. There is a shortage of tinplate reported and of the black sheets of which it is made. The members of the Tinplate Workers' International Protective association will stop work next. They have assured President Shaffer of their support, and will refuse to work plate that may be attempted to be turned out by new men. In this way this association, whose scale was signed recently, may be drawn into the conflict.

Duncansville Men Won't Strike.

Altoona, Pa., July 20.—The visit of Vice President Pierce, of the Amalgamated Association, to Duncansville has proved fruitless. About 250 of the mill workers held a meeting last evening and listened to Pierce's strike arguments, but when a vote was taken on the subject there were only ten men who favored a strike.

ARMS CRITICISES SHAFFER

Who Replies to Some Structures in Very Effective Style.

New York, July 20.—Warner Arms, vice president of the American Tinplate company, made the following statement yesterday to a representative of the Associated Press: "Mr. Shaffer wants these companies to sign for all the non-union mills. A wage agreement is a contract entered into voluntarily between two or more persons representing certain interests. Mr. Shaffer has no right to ask these companies to sign an agreement with him for persons he does not represent. * * * This year the American Tinplate company entered into an agreement for one year from July 1, but Mr. Shaffer violated that agreement by calling out the men on a sympathetic strike when they had no grievances."

Pittsburg, Pa., July 20.—President Shaffer was shown the statement of Arms, concerning the non-union mills, and in reply said: "Mr. Arms agreed to sign the scale for Saltsburg and the Old Meadow mill at Scottsdale, both non-union mills as did the other representatives of the United States Steel Corporation. If he is willing to sign for two, why not for all? This definition of the wage agreement is correct, whether it comes from Mr. Arms or not. I stated to the representatives of the United States Steel Corporation in conference that I represented the men of Lindsay & McCutcheon's and Painters' mills, and agreed to prove that I represented them."

"It is true that the scale was signed for the mills of the American Tinplate company, excepting Monessen. We told Mr. Arms we desired the scale signed for that mill, and after discussion Mr. Arms and his associates entered into the following agreement with the Amalgamated Association, this agreement being a condition upon which the scale was to continue for the other mills: 'We agree to sign the scale for Monessen if the American Sheet Steel company will sign the scale for all the mills.' Mr. Arms knew the existence of article 19, section 35, and of the effect it would have upon the mills of the tinplate company."

COMPANIES SEEM TO BE GAINING

Mine Workers Not Favorable to the Strike of Stationary Firemen.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., July 20.—More mines were in operation and more coal was hoisted in the Wyoming Valley yesterday than any day since the stationary firemen's strike began. Despite any action that may be taken by the officers of the United Mine Workers, the fact cannot be denied that the mine workers as a body are anxious to get back to work. How long they

can be kept out by the executive heads is entirely problematical.

The gains made by the companies yesterday were as follows: The Susquehanna Coal company, operating all the collieries at Nanticoke, had more men at work than any day this week, and their output of coal was larger. The firemen at the Avondale mine of the Lackawanna company went back to their old posts, and work at the mine was resumed today. No. 8 colliery of the Erie company at Pittston resumed work yesterday morning. The Pettibone mine of the Lackawanna company found it had enough hands to start up at noon, and operations were resumed.

In the face of this change in the situation the strikers are by no means discouraged. In an official statement it is declared that in the upper anthracite region the situation remains the same, with strong indications of increased favor for the firemen, and that there is a greater number of mines idle than on Thursday.

Morgan Makes a Denial.

New York, July 20.—J. P. Morgan gave positive denial to the rumor of Thursday that the steel strike had been settled. He made this statement to the Associated Press: "There is not a word of truth in it. There has been no settlement, and there can be no compromise on such a question. The position of the operating companies is perfectly simple and well understood, and so far as I am concerned, has my unqualified approval."

Hiring Negroes for the Mills.

New Orleans, July 20.—Two men have come here from Pittsburg to get negro labor to take the place of the strikers in the steel mills of the United States Steel Corporation. They secured fifty men and had reports from similar agents in Anniston and Bessemer, Ala., that they had secured forty men.

RE-STAKES A BIG CLAIM

Said To Be Worth Perhaps \$15,000,000 to He Who Can Hold It.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., July 20.—The big Helen iron mine at Michipicoten, owned by the Clergue syndicate, has been jumped by Julius George, a prospector, who re-staked the property a few days ago. The mine is estimated to be worth between \$10,000,000 and \$15,000,000. George claims that the company has not owned the mine, which it has been operating the past year under a mineral license.

A patent was applied for, but had not been granted at the time of the re-staking, and George alleges that at the expiration of the proper period the company had not complied with the law, and it was, therefore, an open claim. George re-staked the claim one morning at daylight. He has secured counsel and will try to hold it. Clergue is in the east.

NEGROES ARE ACQUITTED

Same Men a Kansas City Mob Wanted to Lynch Last Week.

Kansas City, July 20.—Joseph Robertson and "Bull" Holland, the negroes who came near being lynched yesterday week by a mob of 2,000 people, on the supposition that they had assaulted Miss Grace Davis, a 20-year-old white girl and attacked her escort, Vernon Newton, were turned loose yesterday for lack of evidence.

Justice of the Peace Ross, in discharging the men, said that little evidence could be given the statements of Miss Davis and Newton. On the stand both of them admitted having made misstatements regarding the affair. The negroes set up a strong alibi. As a matter of fact Newton and the girl both retracted the charge that the girl had been outraged.

NO FRAUD IN THIS GAME

Where's the Man Who Believes That Guaranteed Production?

Indianapolis, July 20.—Governor Durlin has honored a requisition from Governor Bliss, of Michigan, for W. F. Williams, alleged to have swindled G. N. Baldwin, of that state, out of \$5,000 by a "new and useful process of short-hand butter-making."

Baldwin made affidavit that W. F. Williams, now under arrest at Whiting, sold him the right to the state of Michigan for the purpose of selling the new butter-maker. Williams is alleged to have guaranteed that his process would make 100 pounds of butter out of 100 pounds of milk.

So They Will Try It Again.

Grand Haven, Mich., July 20.—Will Cooper, a prominent young man of Georgetown, for the second time last week married Maude Bulliment. Their 3-year-old daughter was witness of the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Cooper were first married five years ago. Dissensions arose and they were divorced. Time softened the troubles, and they again agreed to take up the burden of life together.

Prefer Not to Take the Risk.

Mattoon, Ills., July 20.—J. A. Rosenboom & Co. have closed down their broom factory in this city indefinitely because of heavy losses by fire. Insurance companies either refuse to write policies on broom corn buildings or demand prohibitive rates.

O. D. Sandborn Is Dead.

Kansas City, July 20.—O. D. Sandborn, the Chenoa, Ills., banker who was terribly scalded in the Alton wreck last week, died at St. Joseph's hospital yesterday, being the twenty-second victim to succumb.

Gold Discovery in Wisconsin.

LaCrosse, Wis., July 20.—A valuable vein of gold has been discovered on the farm of J. V. Allen, a few miles from Avalanche, Vernon county, this state, adjoining a copper mine located there.

Progress of Chicago Molders.

Chicago, July 20.—The striking iron molders added two more firms yesterday to the list of those that have signed the union agreement for an advance in wages to \$3 a day.

Temperance Congress at Buffalo.

Chicago, July 20.—The National Woman's Christian Temperance Union will hold a temperance congress July 31, in the Delaware Avenue Baptist church at Buffalo.

They Frequently Do Sick.

Muncie, Ind., July 20.—Nellie Richmond, a pretty girl of 16, is mysteriously missing from home. They fear she has eloped on marriage intent.

RURAL MAIL ROUTES

Couple of Orders Interesting to the People and the Letter Carriers Thereon.

ONEREFERS TO THE STAR ROUTES

Other Limits the Carrier's Perquisites History That Attacks Schley Barred from Annapolis.

Washington, July 20.—Postmaster General Smith yesterday issued two orders of importance to the rural mail service throughout the country. One is designed to avoid the duplication of service in some sections by both star and rural free delivery services, and the other limits the private enterprises in which carriers may engage while performing their official duties. The first order is as follows: "Box delivery by star route carriers will not hereafter be permitted over such portions of star routes as may have in operation the rural free delivery service; provided, however, that an additional and supplemental box delivery may be performed by star route carriers when shown to be necessary and practicable, and not involving the department in any additional expenditure."

Limit to Rural Delivery.
"In those states in which the star route box delivery is now in operation the rural free delivery service will not hereafter be established over any road which must continue to be traversed as a part of a star route, except in special and unavoidable cases, in which cases the star route box delivery will be abandoned."

No Business "On the Side."
The other order says: "Hereafter rural letter carriers shall not act as agents, salesmen or solicitors for express companies, letter-box manufacturers, wholesale houses, corporations or firms, nor engage in any business or avocation which would interfere with the proper performance of their official duties. They may act as news agents—sell newspapers or periodicals on their own account, or accept and collect subscriptions for the same."

Where Postage Must Be Paid.

"When carriers receive newspapers or periodicals by express or by other means outside the mails, to be sold or delivered on their routes, they, as news agents, will be required to pay postage on such matter at the second-class rate of postage (1 cent per pound) except in the case of county papers which are mailed free to subscribers residing in the county in which they are published."

Can Perform Private Commissions.

"This order is not intended to prohibit carriers from performing various private commissions for the accommodation of the patrons on their routes, so long as it does not interfere with the regular and prompt performance of their duties."

MACLAY'S HISTORY MUST GO

Contains a Very Bitter Attack on Admiral Schley's Career.

Washington, July 20.—The secretary of the navy has decided that the third volume of MacLay's history of the Spanish-American war shall not be used as a text-book at the naval academy unless the obnoxious language it contains in characterizing the action of Rear Admiral Schley is eliminated. The secretary says that it would be manifestly improper to have a history containing such intemperate language as a text-book for the cadets. He will inform both Commander Mahan and MacLay, the author of the history, of his decision.

In this connection the secretary says that the proofs of the entire volume were not submitted to him by the historian. He received only the proofs of the third chapter, that relating to the mobilization of the fleets, which contained a summary of the orders which he, as secretary of the navy, had issued in making the naval preparations for the war. That chapter was satisfactory and he returned it to MacLay with an indication of his approval. He says he never saw the account of the battle of Santiago and the criticisms of Rear Admiral Schley until after the book was published. The attack on Schley in this is very bitter, and the admiral is denounced in the most emphatic terms for alleged errors of omission and commission and in the case of the battle of Santiago he is practically charged with cowardice.

St. Ann Shrine Opened.

Chicago, July 20.—The shrine of St. Ann was opened in St. Joseph's Catholic church with mass and sermon by the Rev. C. T. Conet of Canada. The relic on the shrine is one of the bones of St. Ann, brought from Canada by Father Poissant.

More Boers in Bermuda.

Hamilton, Bermuda, July 20.—The transport Rance arrived here at daylight yesterday with the second batch of Boer prisoners of war for confinement on Darrell's and Tucker's islands. The prisoners numbered 519 men.

Will Meet to Prepare for Smallpox.

St. Paul, Minn., July 20.—A meeting of the health officers of Minnesota, Wisconsin and Michigan will be held at Duluth before Sept. 15, to discuss smallpox and to arrange co-operative measures for its suppression.

Putnam Bradlee Strong Is Out.

Washington, July 20.—It is officially announced at the war department that the president has accepted the resignation of Captain Putnam Bradlee Strong, quartermaster U. S. A., to take effect July 15.

Heavy Damage to Tobacco.

Janesville, Wis., July 20.—Damage to the extent of at least \$1,000,000 has already been done to the leaf tobacco crop in this vicinity this season by hot winds and no rain.

Kitchener Commutes Sentences.

Cape Town, July 20.—Lord Kitchener has commuted the sentence of death passed on thirty-four Boer prisoners to penal servitude for life at Bermuda.

BUSY DAY FOR LEAGUERS

Epworthians Pervade the Occidental Metropolis and Spread Religious Enthusiasm. San Francisco, July 20.—The delegates to the International Epworth League settled down to business yesterday morning. The entire day was devoted to routine matters, the missionary feature of religious effort being dwelt upon at length by many of the speakers. Prayer services were held at sunrise in several churches, all of which were largely attended. Promptly at 9 a. m. convention meetings were called to order in the Mechanics' Pavilion and the Alhambra theater, and in both places the addresses delivered were listened to with marked attention.

At noon prayer meetings for business men were held in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce and the court of the Palace hotel, and many prominent citizens were among the worshippers. In the afternoon and evening overflow meetings were held in the Metropolitan Temple. All of the sessions were characterized by the earnest spirit of religious enthusiasm which has marked all the proceedings since the assembling of the convention.

TOO QUICK WITH THE GUN

Young Man Kills His Friend, Mistaking Him for a Thug.

Battleboro, Vt., July 20.—Awakening between 2 and 3 o'clock yesterday morning to find himself in the grasp of a man, Morton Starr Cressy, a Harvard law school student, who is spending the summer here, struggled until free, and snatching a revolver from the bureau fired four shots at his assailant. On lighting his lamp he was horrified to find he had shot his friend and classmate, Sydney Bristol, of Battle Creek, Mich., who came here Thursday as a canvasser, and was invited by Cressy to stay over night at the house of his grandmother, Mrs. P. Starr, in this city.

Bristol lived only long enough to gasp: "You have shot your friend." It is believed that Bristol, while in a nightmare, took hold of Cressy. Cressy said that he thought he was being attacked by a burglar, and fired as soon as he was free. The young men were each about 24 years of age. They were graduated from Yale in 1900 and entered the Harvard law school last fall.

Winners on the Diamond.

Chicago, July 20.—Following are yesterday's base ball scores recorded by League clubs: At Cincinnati—Philadelphia 3, Cincinnati 6; at St. Louis—Boston 1, St. Louis 8; at Pittsburgh—Brooklyn 5, Pittsburgh 4; at Chicago—New York 2, Chicago 5.

American League—At Chicago—Baltimore 7, Chicago 4; at Milwaukee—Philadelphia 3, Milwaukee 1; at Detroit—Washington 3, Detroit 7; at Cleveland—Boston 1, Cleveland 2 (ten innings).
Western Association: At Marion—Grand Rapids 6, Marion 5 (twelve innings); at Fort Wayne—Matthews 2, Fort Wayne 4; at Wheeling—Dayton 4, Wheeling 13; at Toledo—Columbus 7, Toledo 10.

Bridge and Packing Plants Ablaze.

Indianapolis, July 20.—Fire destroyed the plant of the Indianapolis Bridge company and two large buildings of the Van Camp Packing company at an early hour this morning. The total loss is \$75,000. Of this the Van Camp company lost \$35,000, with \$12,000 insurance, and the bridge company \$40,000, partly covered by insurance.

Domestic Trouble and a Dastard.

Lincoln, Neb., July 20.—Frank Marshall, a negro cook, 40 years old, late last night shot and killed his niece, Verne Lee, 18 years old, and so badly wounded his sister, Eliza Marshall, that it is believed she will die. The crime is the outgrowth of domestic trouble of long standing.

Women at the Traps.

Springfield, O., July 20.—In a contest at trap shooting here yesterday Miss Nettie King, of St. Louis, captured the Press medal and the championship of America from Mrs. Meyers, of Springfield. Miss King broke 49 and Mrs. Meyers 40 out of a possible 50 targets.

Aged Clergyman Dead.

Indianapolis, July 20.—D. A. Hyde died yesterday at Ludlow, Vt. He was the oldest minister in Indianapolis, member of a dozen boards in city and county and one of the most prominent Congregational ministers in the country. He was born in 1827.

There Are 92,599 Registered.

El Reno, O. T., July 20.—When the registration booths closed last night 92,599 homeseekers had been given slips entitling them to a chance in the drawing.

Judge Kellom Nearing His End.

Sycamore, Ills., July 20.—Charles Kellom, circuit judge since 1877, lies very ill at his home, with no hopes for recovery.

NEWS FACTS IN OUTLINE

Boys found the body of a woman off the Casino pier at Chicago and the police are trying to solve the mystery. An infernal machine sent by mail to a Brooklyn city employe exploded, tearing off the left hand of another man. The Chinese population in the United States shows a decrease of 17,500 in the last ten years. Norway has adopted the Erhardt system of artillery and has ordered twenty-two complete batteries from Germany. A New Jersey judge says that a man is entitled to a divorce if his wife strikes him.

The budget committee of the French chamber of deputies has voted to abolish the French embassy to the Vatican. Martelli, the Papal delegate to the Roman Catholic church in the United States, is at Chicago, the guest of Archbishop Fochan.

Two Big Four freights collided on a siding west of Crawfordsville, Ind., killing J. W. Mathers, brakeman, and wrecking both trains.

Another rumor is published that the French Republic. The date is Sept. 14.

"La Baronne de Bazus," otherwise Mrs. Frank Leslie, has arrived at New York from Europe.

ROAST FOR THE POLICY

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Governor Declines a Controversy—Boy Who Disappeared Years Ago Comes Back—Items.

Springfield, Ills., July 20.—Miss Julia C. Lathrop, of Rockford, yesterday morning tendered her resignation to Governor Yates as a member of the state board of charities. The political affiliations of the state institutions are assigned as the causes. In a long letter Miss Lathrop, who for eight years has been a member of the board, accuses Governor Yates for allowing politics to interfere with the workings of the board, as she alleges is the case. She states that she didn't resign because the dictation of the appointment of Colonel Tanner was an insult to the board, but because she doesn't desire longer to remain on the board while it is controlled by politics.

Has Always Been That Way.

In her letter of resignation she says to start out with: "I hereby tender my resignation as a member of the board of public charities of Illinois, and I beg leave to state at some length the reason for my action. Since my first appointment on this board there have been two administrations in this state, one of each political party. During all that period the institutions have been used for party ends."

What the Governor Has to Say.

Springfield, Ills., July 20.—Governor Yates yesterday afternoon gave out a statement regarding the attack made upon him for his alleged failure to keep his ante-election promise made in Chicago by keeping the state charitable institutions out of politics, by Miss Lathrop. Governor Yates said: "Miss Lathrop has done me great injustice. She has been misled by designing persons into making a number of statements grossly inaccurate, to say the least. As, however, she is a lady, I will enter into no controversy with her and make no reply to her statements. I have promptly accepted her resignation."

AND THE BOY CAME BACK.

Took Him Twenty-One Years to Fill Up on Traveling.

Mount Vernon, Ills., July 20.—Marion Marsh, who disappeared from the home of his father, Thomas Marsh, near Dahlgren, twenty-one years ago, returned Wednesday after travels which took him around the world. When he left here, a mere boy, he told no one of his intentions, and none knew where he had gone nor what motives influenced him. His parents for a time mourned him as dead. Then came a brief letter saying he was in Indiana, but was on his way to New York.

From that day till a week ago no word was received or trace obtained of the wanderer. Last week the old man received a letter bearing the postmark of Chicago. It proved to be from his long-lost son. Young Marsh arrived here Wednesday. During his absence Marion rounded over the greater part of the world, but the last ten years he was a resident of Chicago. He announces his intention of spending the remainder of his life at his old home.

Not Teaching Anything New.

Mattoon, Ills., July 20.—As the result of an unfavorable report returned by Mayor C. B. Fry, W. B. Hinds, editor of The Star, and Supervisor I. V. Linder, the local executive committee has written to the National Good Roads association asking that the two days' convention to be held in this city July 20 and 31 be canceled. It is claimed that the good roads people are teaching nothing new or valuable.

Result of a Drunken Brawl.

Champaign, Ills., July 20.—Thursday night at Urbana James Murnin was instantly killed and John Daly probably mortally wounded by Edward Whittier, on Main street. All were employed in the Big Four shops. Daly and Whittier's families reside in Urbana, and Murnin's at Galesburg. The tragedy was the result of a drunken brawl. Whittier is in jail, and Daly is in the hospital.

On the Trail of an Ex-Convict.

Canton, Ills., July 20.—The body of Mrs. G. W. Lane, who was found dead Tuesday at her home near this city, was exhumed Thursday and no traces of poisoning were found. It is believed that the woman was murdered and officers are now on the trail of an ex-convict who was seen in the vicinity of Mrs. Lane's home the morning she was murdered.

Better Place for Roper.

Springfield, Ills., July 20.—Secretary David M. Ross, of the state board of labor statistics, called upon Governor Yates Thursday to urge the creation of a special position on the board for J. D. Roper, of this city. He asks that Roper be made the statistician of the board, and he is the opinion that the appointment will be made.

Chicago Mae Caused It All.

Rockford, Ills., July 20.—Henry Woodruff, a wealthy farmer of Cherry Valley, has sued in the Winnebago county circuit court for a divorce from his wife, Sadie Woodruff. The charge is a statutory one. William Ritchie, a Chicago contractor, is named as a co-respondent.

Peoria Man Appointed.

Springfield, Ills., July 20.—Governor Yates has announced the appointment of Colonel Fred H. Smith, of Peoria, to be chairman of the Charleston exposition commission, to succeed Martin B. Madden, of Chicago.

Three Killed by Lightning.

Arthur, Ills., July 20.—Robert Cook, Charles Swisher and Charles Scott were killed by lightning while seeking shelter in a barn from a severe electrical storm north of this city.

TIME IS THE TEST.

The Testimony of Dixon People Stands the Test.

The test of time is what tells the tale. "A new broom sweeps clean" but will it wear well is what interests most. The public soon find out when misrepresentations are made, and merit alone will stand the test of time. Dixon people appreciate merit, and many months ago local citizens publicly endorsed Doan's Kidney Pills; they do so still. Would a citizen make the statement which follows unless convinced that the article was just as represented? A cure that lasts is the kind that every sufferer from kidney ills is looking for."

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EFFORT TO BREAK WILL.

Attack Upon the Last Testament of Late Cordelia M. Hewitt.

The Freeport Bulletin says: An attempt will be made to break the will of the late Cordelia M. Hewitt who died in this city on June 18, 1899. She was a spinster and a member of the well known and wealthy Hewitt family. She was a sister of the late John J. Hewitt and an aunt of Mrs. Oliver Rosenstiel and Theodore D. Hewitt.

Through his attorney, J. C. Sevster, Henry M. Hewitt of Lee county filed a bill in chancery this morning. The cause is entitled Henry M. Hewitt vs John J. Hewitt et al., the "et al." consisting of seventeen members of the Hewitt family in addition to the Ladies Missionary society of the Lutheran church of Forreston, which received a \$500 bequest, and Henry M. Barnum who was executor of the will. The bill was filed just in time to avoid the statute of limitations which runs two years after the probate of a will.

The bill recites the provisions of the will which in brief are:

To testatrix' niece, Mrs. Grace H. Rosenstiel, are left her personal belongings, such as wearing apparel and jewelry, and \$2,000 in cash.

The sum of \$500 is bequeathed to the Ladies' Missionary society of the Lutheran church of Forreston and \$200 to be used on the burial lot of the Hewitt family in Forreston.

The residue of the estate is divided into three equal parts and bequeathed one part to Mrs. Grace H. Rosenstiel, one part to her nephew, Theodore D. Hewitt, and the third part is to be divided equally among Mrs. Fanny A. Hewitt of Nebraska, widow of the testatrix' brother, Thomas J. Hewitt and her eight children, thus giving one-ninth to each.

The bill goes on to allege that Miss Hewitt was not of sound mind and memory at the time of making this will and was under the undue influence of Mrs. Rosenstiel and Theodore D. Hewitt.

Miss Hewitt's estate is valued at about \$35,000, half of which, as near as may be, at the time of her death was in real estate and half in notes and mortgages.

Not much is known here about the complainant. He is a nephew of Miss Hewitt and one of the eight children mentioned as receiving a ninth part of the estate.

Animals Overcome With Heat.

This long continued and intensely heated spell has been as hard on live stock, and especially horses, as on people. We hear of large numbers succumbing to the heat. Quite a number of horses have been prostrated on the construction work of the C. & N. W. Ry. at Nelson. The Sterling Gazette says that usually where the mules are overcome with the heat if they recover it affects their brains and makes dummies of the animals. They will seem not to hear the drivers' voices and not respond to the rein until their heads are pulled clear around. They also appear to have no feeling and some times do not know enough to eat, although hungry.

Miss Lathrop Resigns.

Springfield dispatches this evening announce the resignation of Miss Lathrop as member of the board of State Charities. She says that Governor Yates dictated the appointment of J. Mack Tanner, son of the late governor as secretary of the board, and has added a clerk for the members in a manner she does not like; the executive having forfeited his promise to keep politics out of the charitable institutions of the state. Miss Lathrop's letter has the ring of a woman scorned, though she does not admit that there is any personal feeling in the matter.

Outings for Children.

Forty poor children were sent into the country for a week's outing yesterday by the Chicago Bureau of Charities. Twenty boys and girls were sent to Omro, Wis., and twenty to Franklin Grove, Ill. Today the bureau sent twenty-six to Polo and seventeen to Morris.

Assembly Chorus.

Prof. Henry Willis Newton will meet the members of the chorus Monday and Tuesday evenings at 8 p. m. in the big auditorium at Assembly Park. All who desire to join the chorus should be present at these rehearsals. The music for the course can be purchased for 50 cents at the Lutheran parsonage or at the park.

RAILROAD NEWS.

Items of Interest Along the Great Steel Highways.

Yesterday in the yards of the C. & N. W. were freight cars from the four quarters of the United States—one from the Alabama Central, another from the Washington & Columbia River, the third from the Sault St. Marie and the last from the Central Vermont.

Foreman C. C. Bean, who has had a force of workmen placing a ten-inch guard rail on the Central railroad bridge, went to Forreston this afternoon. The work at Dixon will be completed the fore part of next week.

Chicago Chronicle: Railroad switchmen throughout the country are said to be planning a general demand for an increase in their wages. The employees of this department of the transportation business desire to have all lines adopt what is known as the "Chicago scale," which is the highest paid anywhere.

It is stated that the Chicago & North-Western railroad will build an extension of their line from Williams Bay on Lake Geneva to Lake Delavan. Officials of road were in Williams Bay last week looking over the ground and it is stated that the building of the line is a probability of the near future.

Gave a Fine Program.

Those who attended the musical at the Christian church Friday evening were delighted with the program, every number of which was of exceptional merit. The attendance was not large and those who were not present are the losers. The program rendered was as follows:

Piano Duet—Premier Danseuse.....
.....Fahney and Pierce
Reading.....Hazel Starkweather
Trombone Solo—Oh Shining Light.....
.....Mr. Rice
Vocal Trio—Mermaid's Song.....
Reading Selection from—Uncle Tom's.....
Cabin.....L. B. George
Brass Quartette—Members of College Band
Vocal Solo—Violin obligato, Once in a While
Mixed Quartette—Goodnight Song.

President Sigmund Here.

President F. L. Sigmund of Carthage College will spend Sunday in our city. He is a fine scholar and eloquent preacher and lecturer. He is on the Assembly program for a lecture this year. Carthage College is taking on new life and is undertaking new improvements under his direction. St. Paul's Lutheran church has contributed very liberally to that institution during the last few years. President Sigmund deserves a full house both morning and evening at the Lutheran church tomorrow. He is one of the youngest college presidents in our country.

Rev. Brooks to Address Men.

Rev. J. G. Brooks, the evangelist, who conducted a very interesting and helpful meeting last Sunday at the Young Men's Christian Association, will sing and speak tomorrow at the rooms, at 3:30 p. m. Subject of address: "Stooping to Conquer." Many men should hear him. The rooms are cool.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Noel will go to Mendota tomorrow for a week's visit.

—The thermometer shows a mark of 102½ today; the highest ever recorded here.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Miller left this morning for an eastern trip and a visit to Buffalo.

—Miss Eugenia Peepers is home from a visit at La Crosse, Wis., her former home.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Roe will spend Sunday with Mrs. Becky Roe at Franklin Grove.

—Caldwell Rosborough of Moline is here on a visit at the Raymond home in North Dixon.

—Miss Alice and Anna Mead of Decatur, Ill., are visiting their grandmother, Mrs. Bishop.

—Mrs. A. E. Simonson and children are home from a visit at the Wm. Parker home in Sterling.

—Ira N. Allen will give a reading from Cyrano de Bergerac, in College Chapel next Tuesday evening.

—Contractor Mark Smith's men are today at work plastering the new rooms of the European Hotel.

—Frank Barnes is now the young man in charge of the shoe-shining department at C. L. Gill's shoe store.

—Dr. L. F. Curl of Hampton, Iowa, who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Dr. E. M. Brown, left for his home this noon.

—Foreman Ruggles of J. W. Kelly's gang of workmen placed one of the smoothest and nicest pieces of cement curbing in the city on Third street between Dixon and Crawford avenues.

—The wallet and pocket ledger lost by Fire Chief J. G. Reul of Mendota Thursday morning while visiting in the city have not been reported found. The owner offers \$5 reward if the finder will return same with contents to Chief George Detrick at the fire hall in Dixon.

.....At The.....

R. W. Thompson Store.

It was our good fortune on last Monday to buy at a manufacturer's forced sale, at about 50c on the dollar, 250 Mercerized Foulard and Dimity Dress Skirts, trimmed with two rows of ruffling, which will be sold at less than cost of material. Colors are Blue and White, Black and White.

Do Not Miss the Opportunity to Get One of These Skirts.

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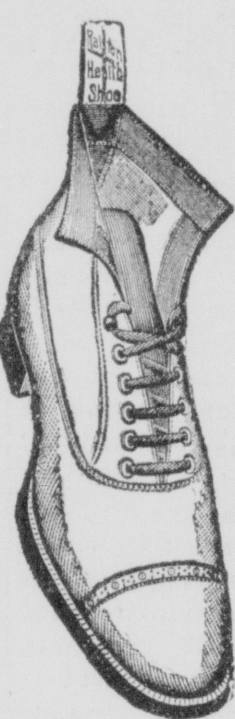
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O. R. SKINNER, head of the Wesleyan College of Music.

Wm. O. Davis, Proprietor of the "Pantagraph."

JAMES F. O'DONNELL, Ex-Representative and Proprietor of the "Bulletin."

J. R. ROWELL, Ex-Congressman.

A. J. BARR, Attorney at Law.

A. SAMPLE, Ex-Judge of Circuit Court.

LEWIS B. THOMAS, Mayor of Bloomington, Ill.

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ROCK RIVER ASSEMBLY.

Fourteenth Annual Session, July
24th-August 5th.

The fourteenth annual session of the Rock River Assembly commences next week Wednesday, July 24th, and continues till August 5th, a period of sixteen days. Everything is in readiness and neither time, pains nor money has been spared by the Assembly Board of Directors to make this year's session in every sense, the first in the new century.

This year's program will be the best that has yet been presented to the Assembly patrons and when compared with the programs offered by similar institutions throughout the country, it will be found second to none. The genius, both of the old and new world, has been secured by the program committee and a feast of good, instructive, high-class entertainments is assured.

During the sixteen days' session of the Assembly there will be in all eighty-nine entertainments, the total cost of which is two dollars and fifty cents, less than three cents an entertainment. Two hundred and fifty people will participate in the presentation of the program. There will be five gala days and new and novel special features will be presented every day.

In the school department the Assembly will also transcend all former advantages that it has offered through this department. The Assembly schools are now a part of the Midland University and are directly under its direction and supervision. A corps of thirty instructors will have personal charge of the work. They come from the best colleges and universities in the United States. Teaching is their profession and their names are a sufficient guarantee for the excellence of the schools.

All the old schools will be re-organized and a number of new courses will be inaugurated, the principal of which are the professional schools of law and medicine. Theology has no place in the curriculum of the Midland University, but this is probably due to strictly non-sectarian character of the institution and not the result of any prejudice.

The opening day, July 25th, will see the regular order of things in every detail fully installed. The schools will be organized, assigned, quarters will be organized, their courses right from the start. The program for this day has been made especially attractive and will doubtless induce many to install themselves on the grounds in good time that they may be in readiness to attend the first and best session of the Assembly.

Herr Gustavus Cohen, the Prussian Jew, will deliver the initial lecture of the season. His subject, "Hebrew Home Life" is one of great interest and will be illustrated with vestments, garments, curios and articles used in places of worship among the ancient people. Mr. Cohen has lectured at a number of the best chautauqua assemblies and was received with great favor in a number of the eastern cities. He has lectured in ninety-four of the churches of Boston.

The C. M. Henderson Shoe Factory Band gives a concert on the evening of the first day and this fact will assure a large audience for the Imperial Hand Bell Ringers who appear immediately after the band concert.

The Hand Bell Ringers give but one evening concert. Their great popularity as entertainers has preceded them wherever they have gone and no doubt they will present their best to sustain themselves before the Assembly audience that will greet them on that evening.

Things strictly intellectual are not all that Rock River Assembly has to offer to those who take a summer outing in reach of rest and quiet. The fascinating beauty of Assembly Park is of itself enough to attract many whose intellectual inclinations are not such as to afford them pleasure in listening to the very best of lectures, during the torrid months of the year.

Camping in Assembly Park is pronounced a great pleasure by all who have ever tried it and is becoming more popular every year. A number of campers are already located on the grounds and tents are in readiness for many more who will arrive on Monday and Tuesday of next week. The largest tent that can be secured from the assembly is 14x24 and costs seven dollars for the season. More pretentious outfits can be secured through George W. Bruner, Assembly director, who represents several camp supply houses in Chicago. Mr. Bruner may always be found on the assembly grounds.

An abundance of Assembly literature has been issued for free distribution and can be secured from the assembly secretary Rev. J. C. Kauffman, Lena, Illinois or from any of the Assembly directors. The Dixon stores have also been supplied and programs can be had for the asking in almost any store in town. Twenty-five thousand Assemblies have been issued, twenty thousand pocket programs and two thousand large posters. The distribution of this literature has been largely done through mails but a number of advertising agents have also been employed.

All the towns in Northern Illinois, Southern Wisconsin and Eastern Iowa, have been more or less thoroughly supplied with Assembly advertising matter and if the rewards are in any measure proportionate to energy expended by the advertising committee in presenting the Assembly program to the public, this year's session will be a pronounced success.

Franklin Grove Weddings.

Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, at the home of the bride's parents in Franklin Grove, Miss Hattie Eberly and George Smith were united in marriage. The ceremony was performed in the presence of relatives and immediate friends. The young couple will reside in Franklin Grove. The best wishes of their many friends are extended to them.

The same day in Chicago occurred the marriage of Miss Marion B. Madison, who attended college in this city a year ago, and Harry L. McGregor of Franklin Grove. Both of the young people have been working in the city. Their many friends extend congratulations.

Weber Grand for Assembly.

The Weber grand piano for the Assembly has been received by the Dixon Music Company and will be placed in the auditorium Monday ready for the rehearsal Monday evening.

—Tom Ford is quite ill.

—H. E. Spear of Polo is in the city.

—J. L. Moore is down from Polo today.

—Mike Callahan went to Chicago today.

—Horace Dana was here from Grand Detour today.

—George Blocher was here from Ashton today.

—Paul Dixon and George Reynolds were in Sterling yesterday.

—George Newcomer drove down from Franklin Grove today.

—Subscribe for tickets to the Rockford-Bloomington ball game Friday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Milton Paddock of Taylor, Ogle county, are here visiting the former's sister, Mrs. Ed. Chadwick.

—Marshal Woodyatt found a Modern Woodman charm on the street this morning which the owner can have by calling for it.

—Mrs. John Wasley and daughter, Mrs. D. H. Law, Jr., returned last night from a two weeks visit at Mineral Point, Wis.

—Mr. and Mrs. Horton and Mrs. Bickenbach of Sandwich, Illinois, are visiting at Mr. Erwin's home on the Franklin road.

—Advertisements changed this evening: E. N. Howell Hardware Co.; Dr. E. A. Thayer; C. C. Burthart; Anna L. Geisenheimer.

—Mrs. J. J. Walker was operated upon for appendicitis at the hospital yesterday by Dr. E. A. Sickels. She is getting along nicely.

—Mr. and Mrs. James Harkins of Galena avenue are entertaining a sweet girl baby, that arrived at their home last Wednesday.

—Miss Ida Andres, stenographer with Libbey, McNeill & Libbey of Chicago is spending her vacation at the home of her mother, Mrs. Mary Andres near the Assembly.

—As will be noticed by her advertisement Miss Anna Geisenheimer will close her store at 6 o'clock every evening except Tuesdays and Saturdays during the Assembly.

—A. M. Bennett of Terre Haute, Ind., who often visits Dixon in the interest of Harper Bros., implement dealers of Bloomington, is preparing to move here and make Dixon his headquarters.

—The Chicago firemen are preparing to present former Fire Marshal Denis J. Swenie with a \$1,200 jewel as a testimonial of their respect for him. The Coliseum will be the scene of the presentation.

—James N. Shenck, the printer who forged Platt McDonald's name on the back of a check at Sterling some weeks ago was Friday afternoon indicted by the special grand jury in the circuit court at Morrison. He pleaded guilty to the charge against him and was sentenced to an indefinite term in the reform school by Judge Ramsay. The fact that he is a minor saved him from the penitentiary.

—Another of Mendota's well known and highly esteemed residents has passed to the great beyond. Mr. David Rude died at his home in the north part of that city last Monday morning, July 15th, in the 71st year of his age. He removed to Mendota in 1865 and has since that time been one of that city's most prominent business men. His death was caused by being overheated while at work in his garden, resulting in a congestion of blood in the heart and a literal bursting of that organ.

Sunday at the Churches.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN.

Rev. T. F. Dorablaser, D. D., Pastor of St. Paul's—corner of Second street and Hennepin avenue. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. D. F. Greenawalt, superintendent. Morning service and sermon at 11 a. m. Junior Christian Endeavor at 5 p. m. Senior Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Evening service at 7:30 p. m. Rev. Fred L. Sigmund, President of Carthage College, will preach both morning and evening. Strangers always welcome.

PRESBYTERIAN.

East Third street. Rev. S. S. Cryor, D.D., pastor. Stone church opposite court house. Morning service at 10:30. Communion and reception of new members. Evening, 7:30. Subject: "Home, Sweet Home." Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p. m. Leader, E. B. Raymond. Strangers and traveling men are especially invited to these services.

THE LIBERAL CHURCH.

The Universalist church. Rev. Joseph F. Newton will preach. Morning service at 11:00 o'clock; Sunday School at 10:00; evening service at 7:45 o'clock. Morning subject: "Man's Search for God—An Exposition of Shelley's poem 'The Spirit of Solitude.'" Evening: "Robert Ingersoll, the American Iconoclast."

METHODIST CHURCH.

W. A. Phillips, D. D., Pastor. Morning service at 10:30 a. m. Subject of pastor's sermon: "If—What Then?" Sunday school at 12 m. Junior League at 3. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. Evening service at 7:30 p. m. Subject: "A Message That Surprised."

GRACE EVANGELICAL.

Grace Evangelical church, J. G. Finkbeiner, pastor. Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school 10 a. m. and K. L. C. E. at 6:30 p. m. Morning theme: "Religious Coasters." Evening: "The Beatitude of the Persecuted."

BAPTIST.

Rev. William C. Spencer, Pastor. Church services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School begins at 12 m. The B. Y. P. U. meet at 6:30 p. m. Morning theme: "Christ the Light of the World." Evening: "Christ the Rest Giver of the World."

ST. LUKE'S.

The Rev. John C. Sage, Rector. Seventh Sunday after Trinity. Holy Communion at 9 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon at 10:45 a. m. The rector will officiate and preach. No afternoon service. Music by the vested choir. All cordially invited.

EMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH.

Highland avenue and Sixth street. Rev. Henry F. Schmidt, Pastor. Sunday school every Sunday at 9:30. Services in the morning at 10:30. There will be no service tomorrow evening.

CHURCH OF CHRIST.

First street and Madison avenue. Rev. Finis Idleman, pastor. Preaching service at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:45. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m. Morning subject: "Christ the Destroyer and Fulfiller." Evening: "Saul's Setting Sun."

GOSPEL TENT.

Jackson avenue between 4th and 6th streets. Sunday school at 10 a. m. President Charles A. Blanchard of Wheaton College speaks Sunday morning 11 to 12; evening 8 to 9. Services every night during the week.

Schlatter Arrested in Washington.

A Washington dispatch says that Thursday Francis Schlatter, known throughout the country as the "divine healer," was arrested today on complaint of the Central Union mission authorities, for creating a disturbance in the rooms of the mission. He is charged with vagrancy. Steps will be taken to examine into his mental condition.

Judge Kellum Hopelessly Ill.

Judge Charles Kellum, who has been a circuit judge since 1877, is very ill at his home in Sysamore, with little if any chance for recovery. He is in a very emaciated condition and his mind is badly affected at times. He is one of the best known judges in Northern Illinois.

—Wm. Gay is here from Minook on business.

—Dr. Pankhurst is down from Grand Detour today.

—Mrs. Stella Young of Oak Ridge was here today.

—Ralph Brown is home from Chicago University for a Sunday visit.

—Miss Bessie Pankhurst went to Grand Detour today to spend Sunday.

—Do not forget the Bowery Dance at Island Park, Wednesday evening, July 24th.

—Miss Elizabeth McKay of Minneapolis is visiting her aunt, Mrs. O. H. Brown, of North Dixon.

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If your eyes trouble you in any way consult him. He has in his specialty (fitting glasses) had an experience covering years, and has been uniformly successful, and can refer you to many of the citizens, both young and old, of Lee and Ogle counties, whom he has fitted with glasses. In his office you will find all the modern apparatus for detecting eye trouble.

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Headache is frequently caused by eye strains and can be cured by a properly fitted glass.

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Bargains! Bargains! Bargains!

Is what you are searching for and these you will find at our store every day in order to made room for more goods which we are receiving each day we quote you the following prices while every article we offer is strictly first class

Strictly pure Soda 1lb package each. 3 cents
Corn Starch 1lb package. 5 cents
Kingsford's Pure Starch 1lb package. 8 cents
11 lb of Best Oatmeal for. 25 cents
10 bars of good laundry soap. 25 cents
Extract of Root Beer makes 5 gallons for. 10 cents

We are Sole Agents for J. G. FLINT'S Coffees.

We give Rebate Checks which means a Discount with every cash Purchase.

Courtright & Hintz,

Both Phones 62. 123 First St.

Low Rates to Buffalo Exposition.
Via the Nickel Plate Road. Also special reduced rates Chicago to New York and return. Three through daily trains with vestibule sleeping cars and excellent dining car service, meals being served on the American Club Meals plan, ranging in price from 35 cents to \$1. Chicago Depot Van Buren St. & Pacific Ave., on the Elevated Loop.
Write John Y. Calahan, General Agent, 111 Adams St., Chicago, for full information and beautifully illustrated descriptive folder of the Exposition buildings and grounds.

Excursion Rates to Chicago.
Via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold at reduced rates for round trip July 23, 24 and 25, on account of B. Y. P. U. Convention. For limits of tickets, etc., apply to Chicago & North-Western R'y.

\$13.00 to Buffalo and Return \$13.00
Via the Nickel Plate road from Chicago for the Pan-American Exposition, tickets on sale daily, good leaving Buffalo up to midnight of tenth day from and including date of sale. Also tick ets on sale daily Chicago to Buffalo and return at \$16.00 for the round trip, with 15 day limit, including days.
Tickets Chicago to New York and return at special reduced rates. Write John Y. Calahan, General Agent 111 Adams St., Chicago, for full particulars and folder showing time of trains, etc.

Excursion Rates to Council Bluffs.
Via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold at reduced rates for round trip, July 15, 16, and 17 limited to return until July 18, inclusive, on account of Annual Regatta Iowa State Amateur Rowing Association. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western Railway.

Excursion Rates to Milwaukee.
Via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold at reduced rates for round trip, on account of Elk's Grand Lodge to be held at Milwaukee, July 23 to 25. For dates of sale, rates, etc., apply to agents Chicago & North-Western Railway.

Very Low Rate Excursion Tickets to the Pan-American Exposition Buffalo, N. Y.

Via the North-Western Line are sold daily with favorable return limits. Direct connection at Chicago, with fast trains of all lines to Buffalo. For further particulars, apply to agents. An illustrated booklet will be mailed on receipt two cents postage by W. B. Kneiskern, General Passenger and Ticket Agent, Chicago.

Excursion Rates to Des Plaines Camp Meeting.

Via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold at reduced rates July 16 to 23, inclusive, limited to return until July 31, inclusive. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

Very Low Rates to Chicago.
Via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold at greatly reduced rates for round trip, on account of B. Y. P. U. convention to be held at Chicago, July 25 to 28. For dates of sale, etc., apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

Very Low Rates to Boise City, Idaho.
Via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold at greatly reduced rates, July 17, 18, 19, limited to return until August 31, inclusive, on account of International Mining Congress. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

"I have been suffering from Dyspepsia for the past twenty years and have been unable after trying all preparations and physicians, to get any relief. After taking one bottle of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure I found relief and am now in better health than I have been for twenty years. I can not praise Kodol Dyspepsia Cure too highly," thus writes Mrs. C. W. Roberts, North Creek Ark Rowland Bros.

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AMATEUR OARSMEN'S MEET
Conditions Perfect the First Day at the Schuylkill River Course.
Philadelphia, July 20.—Under conditions that could not be improved upon the first day's races of the twenty-ninth annual regatta of the National Association of Amateur Oarsmen were held on the Schuylkill river yesterday afternoon, and the initial day's sport was in every way a success. All the crews seemed to be in fine condition, and several of the events were not won until the flag fell.
Winnipeg carried off the honors, winning two events, while St. Louis, Worcester, Toronto, Philadelphia, Detroit and New York each won one race. The race of the day was that between Detroit and Vesper (Philadelphia), in the senior pair-oared event, in which the latter won by a nose, and the surprise of the afternoon was the defeat of the Vesper senior four, composed of members of the world's champion crew, by the St. Louis four. Another fine contest was the final in the intermediate eights, which was captured by the husky crew from Winnipeg. Ten Eysck and Lewis had no trouble in the senior doubles.

FOUR ARE DEAD BY LIGHTNING
Three Others May Die—Two Gangs of Railway Hands Struck.
Grove City, Pa., July 20.—A fierce electrical storm here yesterday resulted in four deaths and the severe injury of three other persons. The dead are Luther Campbell, Howard Cornelius, Anton Darsenska and Michael Zaccaglia. Probably fatally injured—Lin Covert, Edward Hosack and Oscar Covert. A section crew on the Bessemer and Lake Erie railroad was returning home from work when the storm came up. The crew left the railroad track and hastened to a deserted house at the Pincalong mine for shelter. Hardly had they reached the shelter of the place when the house was struck by lightning and Luther Campbell and Howard Cornelius were instantly killed.

During the storm a house occupied by a gang of Italians working on the new railroad a few miles south of this place, was struck and almost totally destroyed. Darsenska and Zaccaglia were instantly killed.
Skeleton in a British Closet.
Houston, Tex., July 20.—William Montague Muir McKenzie died here Thursday from the effects of poison, and it is stated that the drug was taken with suicidal intent. The dead man was the only son of Sir Kenneth McKenzie, secretary to the lord high chancellor of England. McKenzie and his wife have lived here quietly, and it is known that the young man had been receiving remittances from home.

Yacht Disaster Drowns Five.
New Haven, Conn., July 20.—The yacht Benizila, of Philadelphia, capsized in a squall on the sound, and the following lost their lives: Arthur C. Colburn, owner of the yacht, of Philadelphia; Ida and Annette Colburn, his daughters; Captain Flint, of Brooklyn, N. Y., master of the yacht; a sailor, name unknown.

Modern Woodmen State Deputies.
Springfield, Ills., July 20.—Lieutenant Governor Northcott, head counsel Modern Woodmen of America, announces the appointment of state deputies as follows, among others: Iowa, George N. Frink; Indiana, C. F. Avery; Michigan, C. J. Ryans; Wisconsin, B. F. Koeler.

"French" Pens from Indiana.
Warsaw, Ind., July 20.—Indiana this week completes her annual job of packing "French" pens. This year she has put away between 22,000,000 and 24,000,000 pens that will go out to the markets of the world.

Peoria Strike Has Ended.
Peoria, Ills., July 20.—The machinists who have been on a strike at the three agricultural implement factories here have declared the strike off.

National W. C. T. U. Conference.
Chicago, July 20.—The annual conference of the national W. C. T. U. at Chautauque, N. Y., will be held July 23 to July 26 inclusive.

THE MARKETS.
Chicago Grain and Produce, July 19.

Following are the quotations on the Board of Trade today:	Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July		67 1/2	67 3/4	67 1/4	67 1/2
September		68 1/2	68 3/4	68 1/4	68 1/2
October		68 1/2	68 3/4	68 1/4	68 1/2

Corn—
July 51 1/4 52 1/4 51 1/4 52 1/4
September 52 1/4 54 52 1/4 53 1/4
October 52 1/4 54 52 1/4 53 1/4

Oats—
July 32 1/4 34 1/4 32 1/4 34 1/4
September 33 1/4 34 1/4 32 1/4 34 1/4
October 33 1/4 34 1/4 32 1/4 34 1/4

Pork—
September 14.20 14.30 14.17 14.30
October 14.15 14.25 14.15 14.25
January 14.52 14.57 14.47 14.57

Lard—
September 8.67 1/2 8.67 1/2 8.62 1/2 8.67 1/2
October 8.67 1/2 8.67 1/2 8.62 1/2 8.67 1/2
January 8.67 1/2 8.67 1/2 8.62 1/2 8.67 1/2

Short ribs—
September 7.90 7.92 1/2 7.87 1/2 7.92 1/2
October 7.92 1/2 7.92 1/2 7.90 7.92 1/2
January 7.55 7.60 7.52 1/2 7.57 1/2

Produce.—Butter—Extra creamery, 15c per lb; extra dairy, 14c; packing stock, 12 1/2 to 13c. Eggs—Fresh stock, 12 to 12 1/2c. Live Poultry—Chickens, 8c, 8 1/2c per lb; springs, 13 to 16c; geese, 3.00 to 6.00 per doz. Apples—Green, baskets, \$1.50 to \$3.00. Potatoes—Early Ohio, 75c to 80c per bu.

Chicago Live Stock.
Chicago, July 19.
Hogs—Estimated receipts for the day, 18,000; sales ranged at \$4.30 to \$5.75 for pigs \$5.70 to \$6.00 for light, \$5.60 to \$5.80 for rough packing, \$5.70 to \$6.00 for mixed, and \$5.85 to \$6.12 1/2 for heavy packing and shipping lots, with the bulk of the sales at \$5.85 to \$6.05.
Cattle—Estimated receipts for the day 5,000; quotations ranged at \$5.80 to \$6.25 choice to extra steers, \$5.40 to \$5.90 good to choice do., \$5.10 to \$5.60 fair to good do., \$4.50 to \$5.10 common to medium do., \$3.90 to \$4.70 butchers' steers, \$4.50 to \$5.80 fed western steers, \$2.30 to \$4.05 stockers and feeders, \$1.60 to \$4.75 cows, \$2.00 to \$5.00 heifers, \$2.05 to \$4.65 bulls and oxen, \$3.75 to \$5.00 stags, \$3.30 to \$4.90 Texas steers, and \$4.50 to \$5.00 veal calves.
Sheep—Estimated receipts for the day, 5,000; quotations ranged at \$3.00 to \$3.90 westerns, \$2.75 to \$4.10 natives, \$3.85 to \$5.25 western lambs, and \$3.75 to \$5.20 native lambs.

Milwaukee Grain.
Milwaukee, July 19.
Wheat—Higher; No. 1 northern, 69 1/2c; No. 2 northern, 67 to 68 1/2c; September, 69c; Corn—September, 53 1/2c. Rye—Steady; No. 1, 62 to 62 1/2c; No. 2, 58c. Barley—Steady; No. 2, 55c; sample, 42 to 54c. Oats—Higher; No. 2 white, 36 to 36 1/2c.

TRAPPED GERONIMO.
HOW BRAVE LAWTON CAME TO CONQUER THE WILY APACHE.

The Incidents That Led Up to His Section by General Miles to Command the Expedition That Made the Indian Chief a Captive.

An interesting story of how General Henry H. Lawton received command of the detachments which were assigned by General Miles to capture Geronimo and Natchez and their Apaches was told in the army building recently.

General Miles, it seems, had made up his mind to send out a detachment of infantry and a detachment of cavalry with orders not to return until Geronimo was either killed or captured. The orders had not been issued, but it was quite generally known throughout the department of the west that such a move was contemplated. Every officer who was in any way ambitious was aching for a chance to head the expedition, but no hint as to who would be chosen could be obtained.

It was known, however, that if a field officer was not appointed to command the two detachments General Miles would assign a cavalry officer to the post of honor. There was no chance that an infantry officer would be chosen. Meanwhile word had come that Geronimo had crossed the line into Mexico. At that time the United States government had an agreement with Mexico whereby the armies of either nation when pursuing a hot trail might cross the line and enter either country. They were also at liberty to carry prisoners back to the respective countries.

Before ordering out his expedition General Miles, accompanied by Major Amos S. Kimball, set out for a small town on the Mexican border, where he met the governor of the Mexican province into which Geronimo had entered. The conference was satisfactory, and General Miles on his return to headquarters stopped over at Fort Huachuca, where the Fourth cavalry was stationed. The general was entertained by the colonel of the regiment, and Major Kimball put up in Captain Lawton's quarters. But little sleep he got that night, for Lawton wanted to command that expedition, and he declared that nothing else on earth would satisfy him. He sat up half the night impressing his visitor with his fitness for the command.

Major Kimball had heard of Lawton before, as indeed had all the army. His fame as a fighter was second to none. In secret he had formulated plans for the capture of the Apache chieftain, and there was not a detail that had been overlooked. He outlined to Major Kimball his ideas of how a successful campaign against the Apaches should be conducted, and in conclusion he produced a letter from a former colonel who had recently been made a brigadier general. The writer, in recommending Captain Lawton for promotion, said that he felt that Lawton was a man of so fine a record and soldierly attainments that he hesitated in recommending a man whom he knew was vastly superior to himself. "I feel," concluded the new brigadier general, "that Lawton should be recommending me. It is assumption on my part to praise him. He is above such praise as mine." That is, the letter ran as nearly like that as the officer who told this story could remember.

At all events General Miles and Major Kimball went to headquarters the next morning, and before nightfall Lawton was there, too, in response to a telegram. The captain was then duly detailed to command the expedition, and in a day or so it started out. General Leonard Wood, by the way, went along as surgeon in the infantry detachment.

The expedition was gone for months. Occasionally a heliographic message would be received, but otherwise the soldiers had disappeared as completely as though they had never existed. Finally a message came to General Miles. Geronimo and Natchez and their Apaches had been cornered in Mexico, but the wily old Apache would surrender to no one but General Miles himself. Lawton consequently held the Indians and sent for Miles. The general arrived some time after, and Geronimo surrendered. He was put on a reservation and from that day was never within smelling distance of his old stamping ground among the rocks and cacti of Arizona.

As for Captain Lawton, he looked like a ghost, according to Colonel Kimball, who was present at the surrender. There was nothing to him apparently but uniform and bones, and his men were no better. Surgeon Wood, it is worth while saying, took command of the infantry detachment upon the illness of its commander.

Soon after Captain Lawton was rewarded by a post in the inspector general's department.—New York Sun

How Warsaw Amuses Its People.
For 10 kopecks (5 cents) everything that Praga park, in Warsaw, affords is yours. There are open air theaters, Punch and Judy and other side shows, outdoor attractions, such as walks, groves, fountains, boating of every conceivable kind, merry go rounds, swings, dancing pavilions, lunch counters, athletic courts, soft drinks, but not a drop of alcohol in any form whatever. For the very little ones there are inclosures where they may make sand pies, play games of all kinds, learn to sing popular and folk songs, train themselves physically under the direction of a graduated kindergarten. The older boys have races and other athletic contests. Prizes are given for good deportment and proficiency in the games. In less than two years, the authorities say, this park has already accomplished an appreciable amount in elevating the tone of living among the poorer classes of the city.—Cosmopolitan.

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Allen Halverson of West Prairie, Wis., says: "People come ten miles to buy FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE," while J. A. Spero of Helmer, Ind., says: "It is the medical wonder of the age." Rowland Bros.

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SUBURBAN SIFTINGS.

Hints and Happenances in Surrounding Towns and Villages.

EAST PAWPAW.

July 12.—Mr. and Mrs. Miles Henderson of Watertown were here to see Mrs. Miles' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hampton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lobdell have returned home from their western visit which they enjoyed very much.

Charlie Dienst and family of Somonauk and Chris Dienst and family of Hinckley spent Sunday with their sister, Mrs. Frank Hampton and also Mr. and Mrs. Long of Pierce, Ill.

Miss Blanch Langford of Shabbona called on Mrs. E. J. Valentine Sunday.

Miss Etta Valentine is at Hinckley visiting relatives.

Miss Frances Godfrey, a young lady who lived here in her younger days, was married on the 4th of July to a Mr. Ball of Chicago.

Mrs. Frank Chicester from Sheffield, Iowa, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Atherton.

Little Forest is here spending the week with his grandmother, Mrs. Hoag.

A number from this place attended the Rollo convention Sunday.

Mr. Foreman was shelling corn Wednesday.

Miss Ethel Hoag was at Shabbona Wednesday, giving music lessons.

SUBLETTE.

July 18.—Mrs. Valentine Becker is visiting at Geo. Lauer's this week.

The mumps are still around and we hear of more having it every day.

Prof. F. E. Stiles and Wm. Harrison started for Oklahoma last Tuesday, where they expect to stay several weeks and take in the country.

Our hardware men are all very busy setting up and starting new binders. A. J. & A. Lauer have sold one car of McCormick binders this season.

J. A. Theiss has a brand new threshing outfit. He has a 20-horse-power engine and a very large separator, which is now ready to eat all the grain the farmers can shove into it.

Peter Richart is having a new windmill put up.

Geo. M. Crawford is visiting friends in Bradford.

BRADFORD.

July 19.—Marcus Allbrecht had a sick horse last week.

Dr. Roop from Franklin Grove was on our streets Wednesday.

William G. Krug rides in a new survey now.

Threshing will begin by the end of the week, for harvesting will be a thing of the past by the time this gets to print.

William Killmer rides in a new rubber-tire top buggy now.

Alex Robinson was visiting in Franklin Grove Sunday.

The surveyors were busy surveying for the new electric road here last week.

Strayed away, one cream colored mare and one bay horse from August Reinhardt. Anybody knowing where they are, let him know and he will pay you for your trouble.

NACHUSA.

July 18.—A young man was instantly killed last Wednesday evening by the west bound limited.

A dance was held in C. B. Crawford's hall of this place last Wednesday evening which was largely attended. All report an enjoyable time.

Two section hands were badly injured by a rail falling from a car which they were loading last week.

A number of the farmers of this vicinity are cutting oats.

D. C. Belghel is the owner of a new threshing engine.

Harry Eicholtz of Chicago is visiting his parents of this place for a few days.

Low Rates West and Northwest this Summer.

Via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold to San Francisco, Los Angeles, Portland, Seattle, Salt Lake, Denver and other Colorado, Utah, and Pacific Coast points, as well as St. Paul, Minneapolis, Duluth, Dakota Hot Springs, etc., at greatly reduced rates, with favorable return limits, on various dates during the summer season. Frequent Fast Trains, Through Sleeping Cars, Chair Cars, Dining Cars. The Best of Everything. For dates of sale and full particulars, inquire of ticket agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

Temperance Camp Meeting.

The temperance camp meeting under supervision of the County W. C. T. U. will be held on the camp grounds at Franklin Grove Saturday and Sunday, August 17th and 18th.

The speakers engaged for the occasion are—Mrs. Anna Shaw of Philadelphia, Mrs. Jennie Fowler Willing of New York, W. A. Brubaker of Peoria, Miss Mary E. Kuhl, State Evangelist for the Illinois W. C. T. U.

The Moneley Quartet has been engaged to sing at these meetings. Programs will appear later.

Property Transfers.

Wm Evans to Thos and John McNamara pt se 34 Reynolds—\$234.

Wm C Faber to W H Menk lot 6 blk 4 Harper's Add Pawpaw—\$150.

C F Luther to L E Hazen & A M Kearnes pt se pt nw 10 Harmon—\$8,500.

John J Johnson to Chas A Thomas lot 14 blk 4 West End—\$875.

Loveland & Stiteley to Henry Ettinger lot 1 block 55 West Dix—\$100.

Josephine Ettinger to F E Stiteley Co. pt lot 40 Riverside Add Dixon—\$1,450.

Jas C Lacy to J H Kenneth pt se 5 Dixon—\$250.

John B Ford to Jonathan List lots 11 & 12 blk 1 Loveland Place Dixon—\$600.

Wm H Maloney to John Gunning lot 11 blk 3 Amboy—\$1,450.

Chas R Jones to A H Patterson pt se sw 33 Marlin and pt ne pt nw 2 East Grove—\$15,000.

Anna O'Malley to E J O'Malley lot 8 Highland Park Add Dixon—\$475.

Jas Franko to Lizzie F Schilder pt ne g Harmon—\$6,000.

F E Stiteley Co to Anna M Graham pt lot 2 blk 35 West Dixon—\$370.

F Louise Dixon to Clarence E Brown pt lot 1 blk 27 North Dixon—\$550.

Heirs of Rachel Missman to F E Stiteley sub lot 6 blk 1 Dement's Add Dixon—\$1,150.

Jennie M Cullins to Elias Bovey lot 2 blk 61 Dixon—\$1,800.

O F and C H McKenney to Lillie Harned pt lot 3 blk 5 Dement's Add Dixon—\$825.

Rachel J Mostoller to Deila G Jeffs pt lot 2 blk 2 North Dixon—\$200.

John Bradley to F X Newcomer pt lots 49 and 50 Riverside Add Dixon—\$775.

Mary A Twomey to John Bradley lot 29 Riverside Add Dixon—\$1,775.

Lucy E Clark to Geo C Loveland lot 131 Maple Park Add Dixon—\$400.

Carl Krug to Krug & Ventier seq sec 2 Bradford—\$5,000.

Wm R Dunn to Frances L Dunn seq sec 9 Viola—\$9,200.

Albert C Kaylor to Clydia E Kaylor lot 3 Kaylor's Sub Dixon—\$500.

Wesley Steward to Jas M Durin pt se 17 Alto—\$52.

Excursion Tickets to Glen Ellyn, Ill.

Via the North-Western Line will be sold at reduced rates, July 22 to August 1, inclusive, limited to return until August 2 inclusive, on account of Free Methodist Camp Meeting. Apply to agents Chicago and North-Western R'y.

Paunee Bill's Wild West Show Monday, July 30.

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—Mrs. Thomas Barber is ill.
—Al. Porter is here from Harmon.
—F. A. Robinson is ill today and unable to be at his work.
—P. Mason of Rock Falls is visiting relatives and friends in Dixon.
—Emory Warner of Pine Creek was in the city today with fat stock.
—Company G dance tonight. Dixon Mandolin Club will furnish music.
—Miss Bovey, trained nurse, was in Ashton on professional business yesterday.
—Miss Bertha Gonnerman goes to Sterling this evening for a Sunday visit.
—The Carroll county old settlers' picnic will be held at Lanark on August 28th.
—Mrs. O. M. Clark is here from Lee Center visiting her daughter, Mrs. G. H. F. Shaw.
—Henry Rhodes and Elmer Hendrix are camping at the Upper Rocks for a couple of weeks.
—John Schleming has sold to Wm. Killen of Polo a complete Birdsall threshing outfit.
—Miss Anna Cantbell of Wroatsbery, Pennsylvania, is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Rhoads.
—Mrs. A. W. Spafford who has been a resident of Rockford for sixty years died there yesterday.
—Misses Lida Johnson and Edna Carpenter went to Elgin last evening, where they will visit.
—Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Courtright of Rochelle were callers at the Albert Juells home yesterday.
—Francis X. Newcomer went to Leaf River, Ogle county, this afternoon to spend Sunday.
—Miss Anna Sickels, after visit with parents, Rev. and Mrs. E. C. Sickels, returned to Chicago yesterday.
—Joseph Shelhamer and Thomas Backaloo drove to Franklin Grove this morning to attend the Wertman sale.
—Mrs. D. Jones, who has been visiting her cousin, Mrs. L. W. Mitchell, in this city, went to Chicago this morning.
—Rockford papers say that Teddy Ferris got three hits, among them a three bagger, in the game with Dayton.

—Misses Nellie and Mamie O'Malley are expected from Chicago tonight to visit at the home of Alderman Dan'l Curran.
—Mrs. J. T. Murray and children left today for Blue Mound, Ill., to visit at the home of Jacob Alhime, Mrs. Murray's father.
—Mrs. Mary E. Durkes of Franklin Grove, who has been visiting for several days with her son, W. C. Durkes, returned home this morning.
—The Sterling Fair at Mineral Springs Park will be held August 27-30 inclusive. Their catalogue consists of 124 pages of premiums and ads.
—Ex-Mayor Warren Penwell of Pana, Ill., was the guest yesterday of J. T. Murray, who showed him about the city. He was well pleased with Dixon. Mr. Penwell is superintendent of the Pana Coal Co.
—John Cassell had three fingers of his left hand injured severely in the sand-papering machinery of Dillon's planing mill in Sterling Thursday afternoon. The skin and some of the flesh was sand-papered off and a small artery severed.
—The two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Blom of Rockford had a miraculous escape from death in falling from a porch three stories high. The child was unconscious when reached but recovered without any ill effects except a few bruises.
—Arthur Crawford, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Crawford, had an arm broken last Friday by falling from a ladder while climbing up into the hay mow. Dr. Banker soiced up the broken arm and he is getting along very nicely.—Franklin Reporter.

—A pleasant social reception was held in the lecture-room of the Baptist church last evening, given by the pastor and wife, to the friends who had responded to the invitation to contribute to the defraying of the expenses incurred in the improvement of the basement. A goodly number assembled and enjoyed the occasion greatly, a brief, but excellent musical and rhetorical program was given, and ice cream and cake was served in the parlor by the young ladies of the church.

—C. D. Hazard of Dixon and Mr. Rocheleau, head manager of the D. M. Osborne Harvesting Machine Co., of Chicago, called on their sick friend, Albert Juells, last evening. They were sorry to find him ill, as they miss him greatly in his work. Mr. Rocheleau states that the sale of harvesting machinery has been very good this year. Mr. Juells is an old friend of the Osborne Co., and has Osborne machinery on his farm that has given him satisfactory service for over twenty years.

New School House for Viola.

A vote was taken at the Bernardan school, district number seven, in Viola township last Saturday for the purpose of settling the question of bonding the district to the extent of \$500 to build a new school house. The vote was carried by a large majority. A new school house has been needed for some time and the work of building will be commenced in the near future. It will in all probability, be ready for occupancy for the winter term.

—Contractor Fred Whippman has completed the mason work and Geo. Howell & Sons are about to start on the carpenter work for a \$2,800 residence near the Milk Factory for G. A. Huber.

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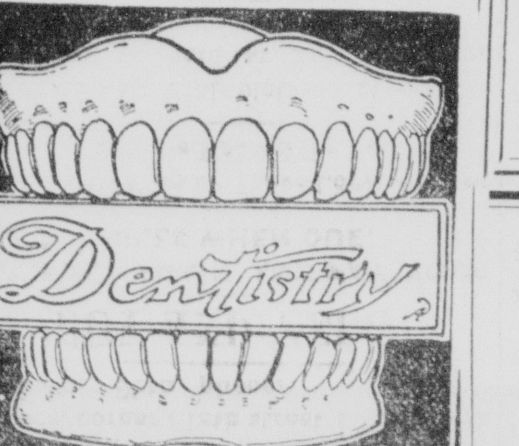
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